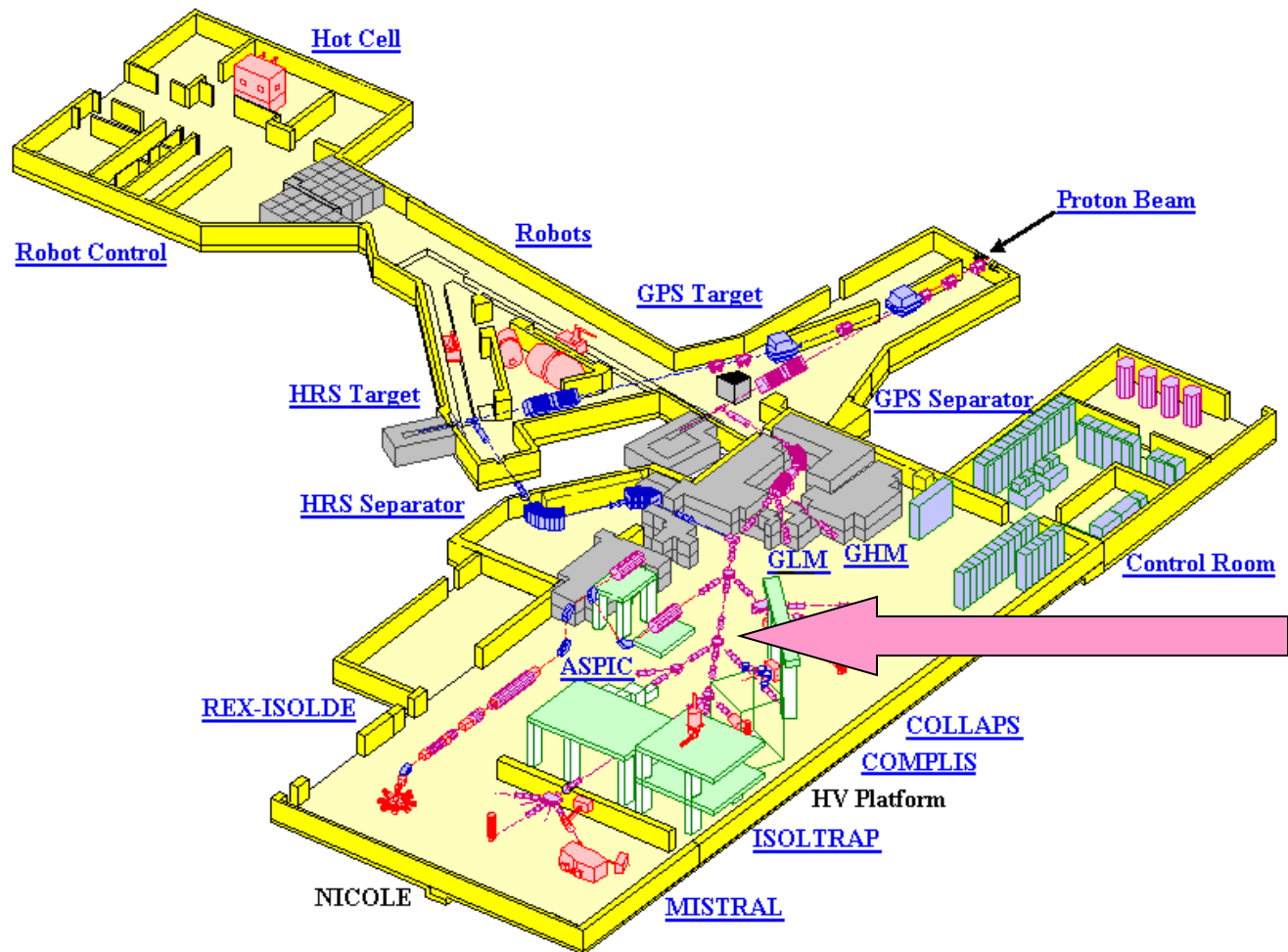


Collinear Resonance Ionization Spectroscopy physics and progress at ISOLDE

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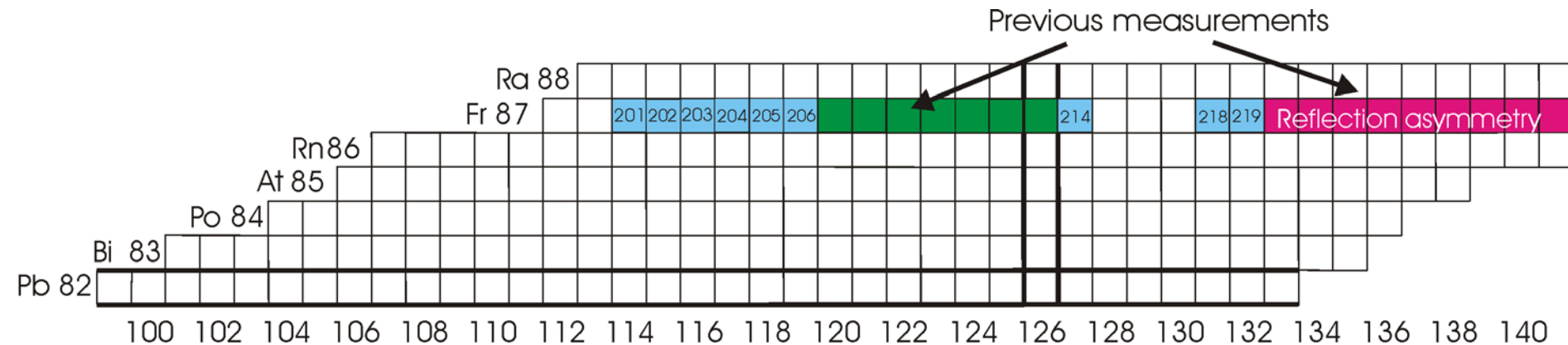
CRIS at ISOLDE



Outline

- Physics motivation
- CRIS – basic principle
- The experimental setup – beam optics
- Progress update
- The detection system

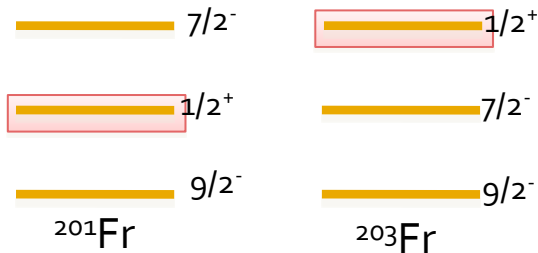
Physics motivation



- The ground state properties of Francium isotopes
- Surrounding isotopes: Radium (Ra) and Radon (Rn)
- Quadrupole moments and spin assignments in neutron deficient Po, Bi and Pb isotopes

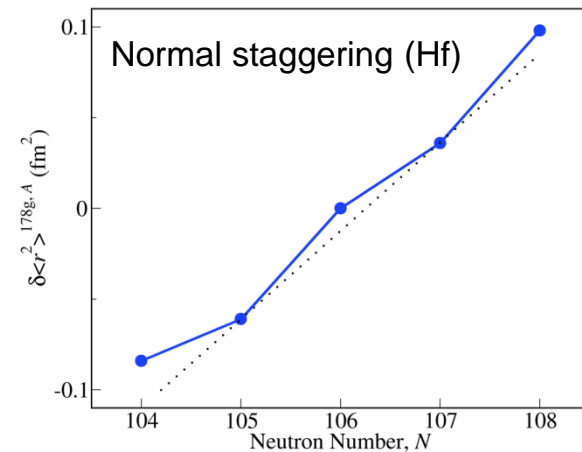
Spectroscopy of francium (Z=87)

Reordering of quantum states



Lowering of $I=1/2^+$ intruder state with decreasing N .

Suggestion that ^{199}Fr has $I=1/2^+$ ground state spin with an associated large oblate deformation.



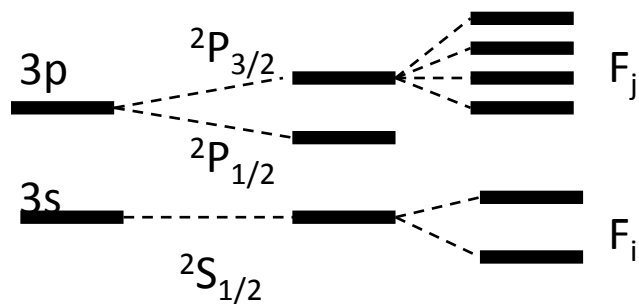
Region known to be characterised by reversal in odd-even staggering, which is attributed to presence of octupole-quadrupole deformation.

$$Q_s \rightarrow \langle \beta_2 \rangle$$

$$\langle r^2 \rangle \rightarrow \langle \beta_2^2 \rangle + \langle \beta_3^2 \rangle + \dots$$

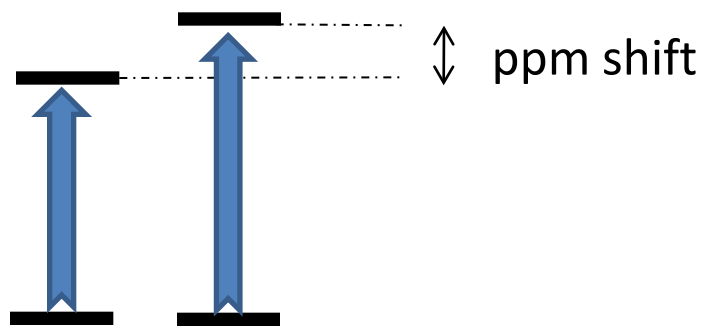
Nuclear moment and radii measurements with laser spectroscopy

Hyperfine Structure



Spin, magnetic and electric moments, all nuclear observables are extracted without model dependence.

Isotope Shift

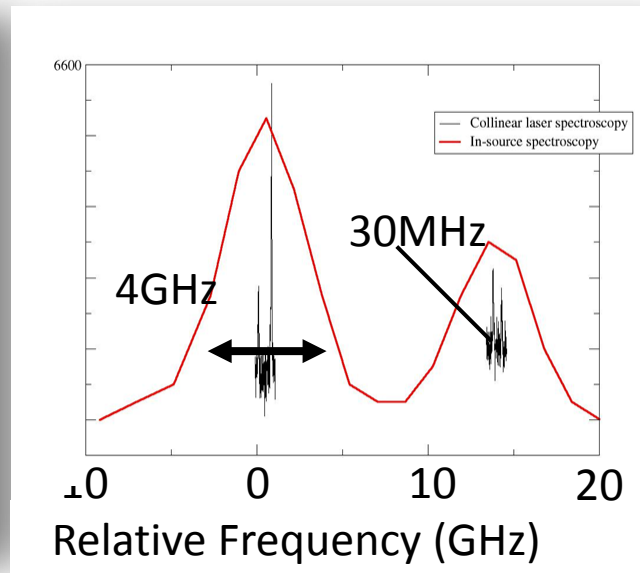
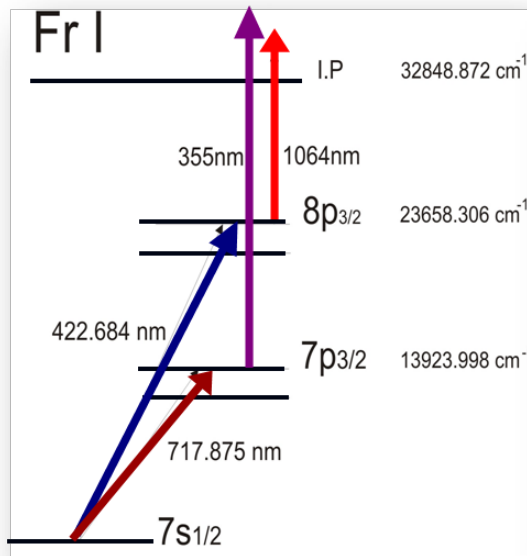
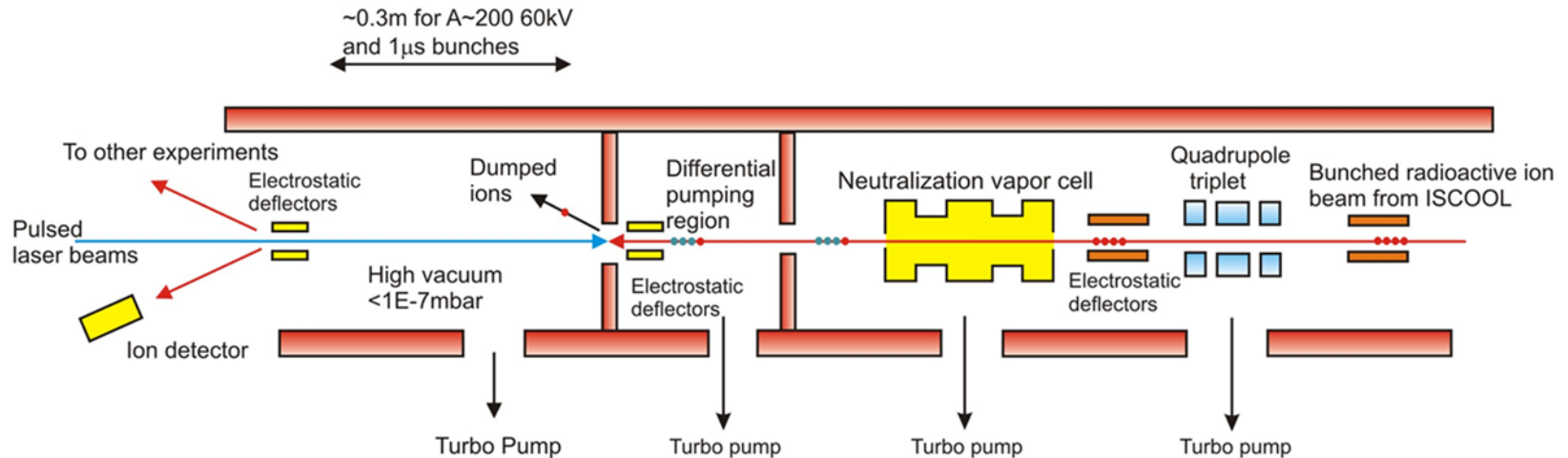


Changes in nuclear charge radii and sensitive to changes in dynamic nature and deformation as well as volume.

$$\Delta\nu_{IS} = \Delta\nu_{MS} + \Delta\nu_{FS}$$



The basic principle of CRIS technique



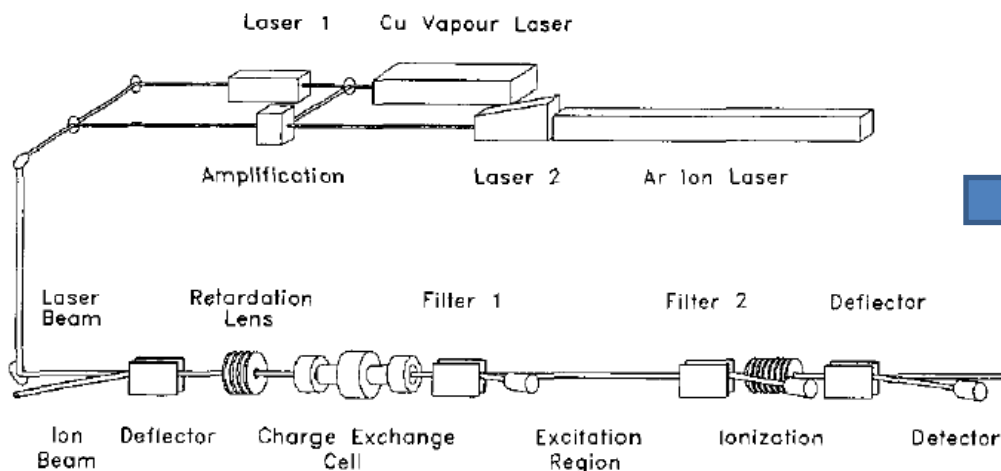
Combining high resolution nature of collinear beams method with high sensitivity of in-source spectroscopy.

Yu. A. Kudriavtsev and V. S. Letokhov,
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Previous CRIS of Yb at ISOLDE

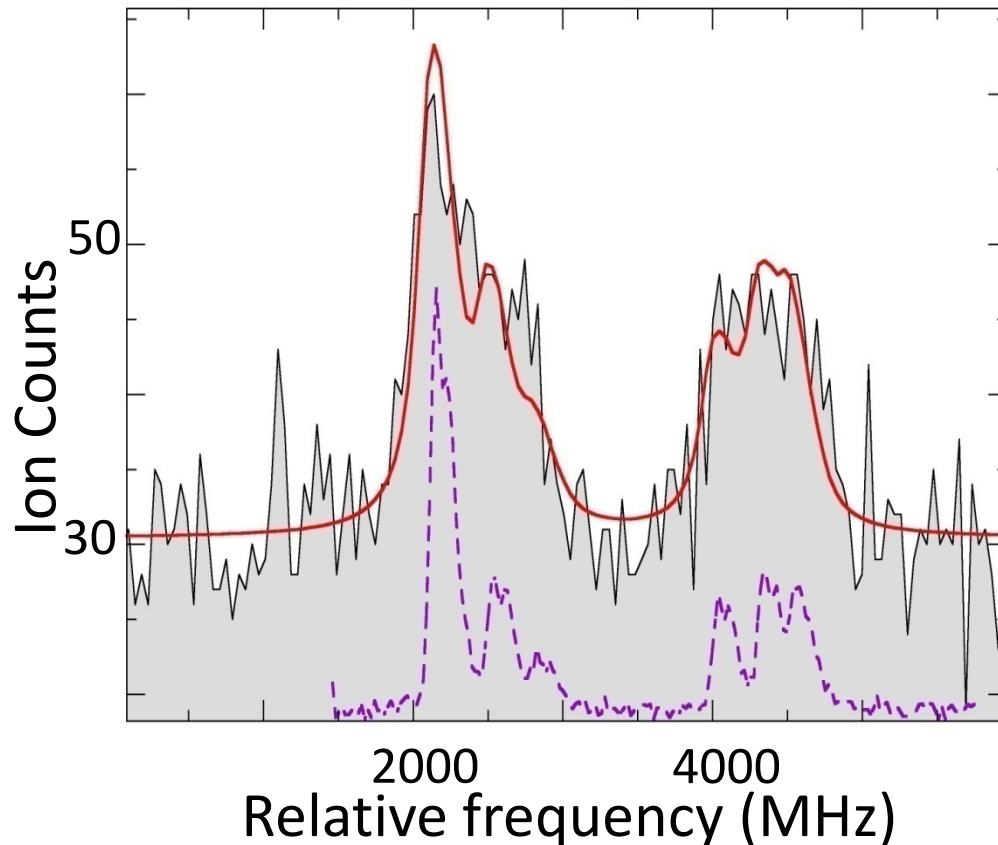
Ch. Schulz *et al.*, J. Phys. B, **24** (1991) 4831

- Charge exchange efficiency into meta stable states
- Below saturation on second step
- Duty cycle losses due to lasers



Total efficiency
1:100 000

Off-line CRIS test at the IGISOL



200 ions per bunch

6 scans

1:30 efficiency

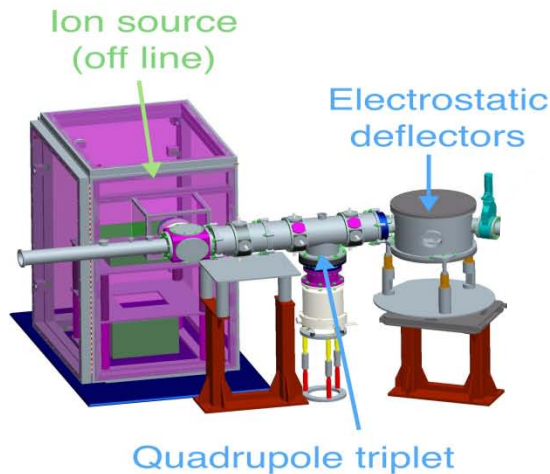
Factor of 1000 increase
in detection efficiency.

Background due to non-
resonant collisional
ionization in poor vacuum
(10^{-5} mbar)

~5 non-resonant ions per
bunch

CRIS Beam optics

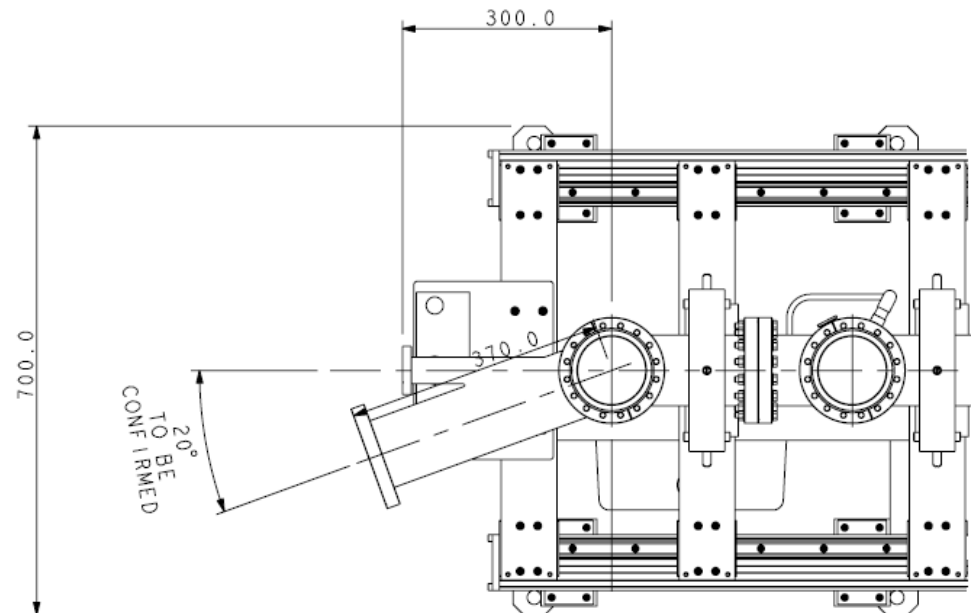
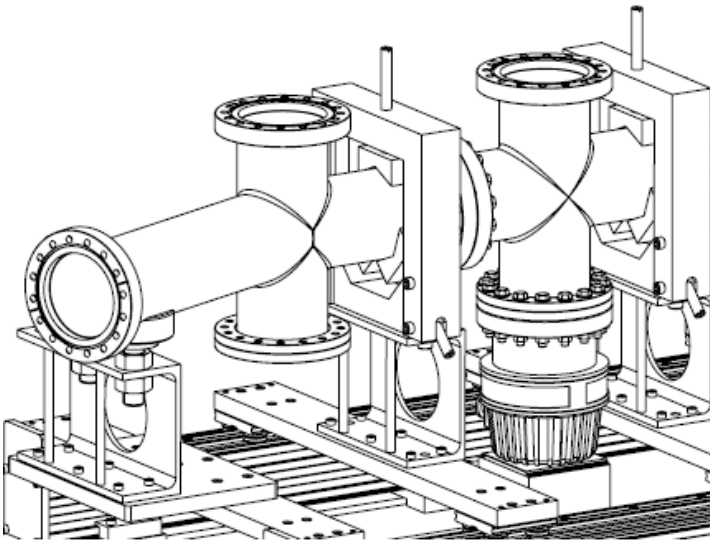
- Bunched, accelerated ions focused and steered through 34 bend
- Ions accelerated to scanned velocity and neutralized
 - Remaining ions deflected
- CW laser excites hyperfine structure. High power pulsed lasers used to ionize the excited atoms
- Resulting ions steered and focused to detector



Simulations

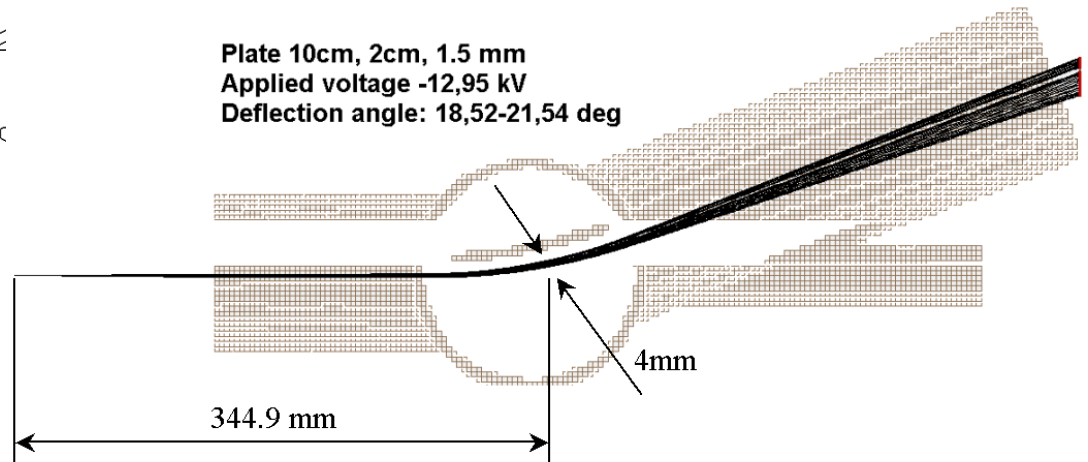
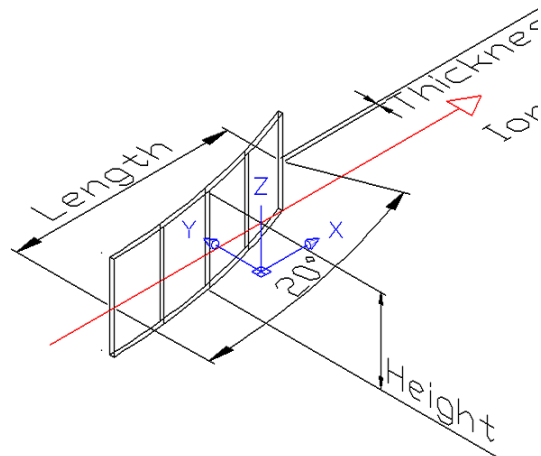
The aim of simulations was two fold.

- optimize the shape and the size of deflection plates to be installed at the 34 and 20 bend.
- optimize transmission of the beam through the chamber to the detection system at the end station



Simulations

- All simulations have been performed with the SIMION 8.
- A single curved plate design was realised for 20° bend ion deflector
- Two quadrupole doublets introduced in the beam line to optimize beam transport efficiency to the detector endstation



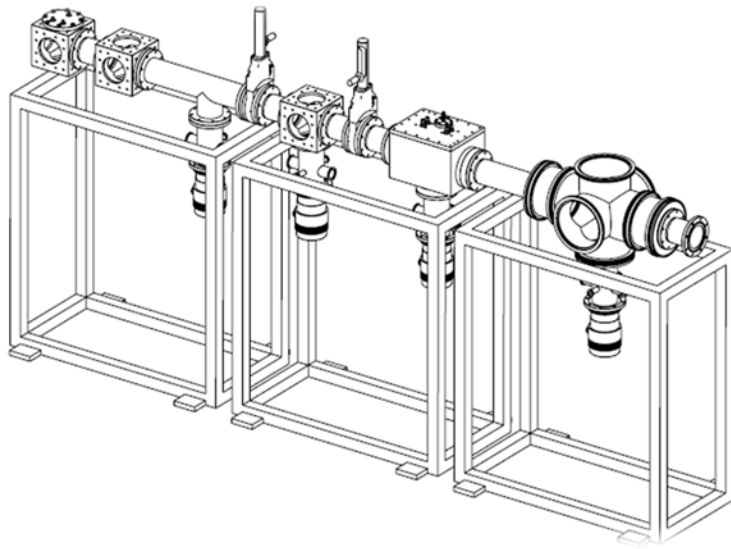
Status in Spring 2008



COMPLIS experiment
beam line.

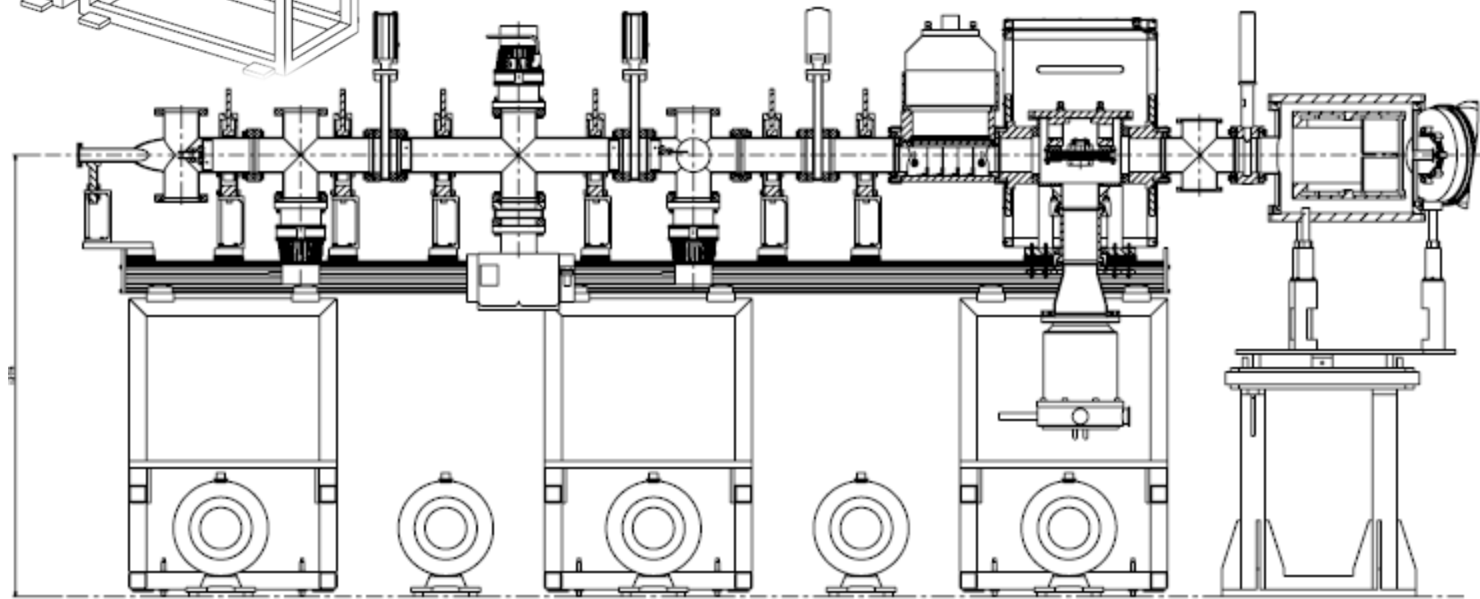
Quadrupole Triplet and
34 degree bend
retained for CRIS

Evolution of design during 2008

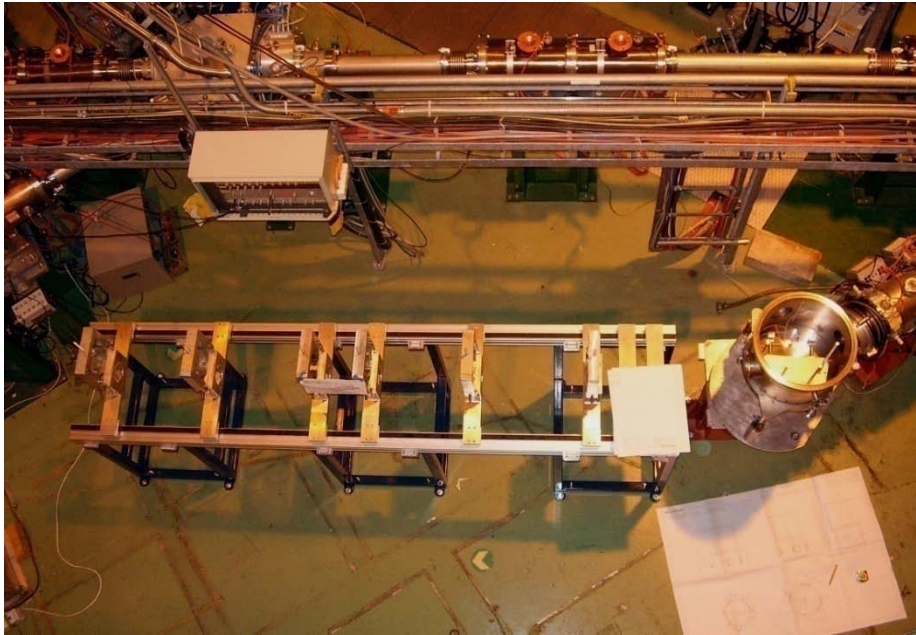


Basic scheme went through several iterations before converging on the final design.

UHV requirements constrained the design and forced the beam line to be ~3m in length



November 2008



“Railway track” installation

Allows one person to open the vacuum system and move chambers.



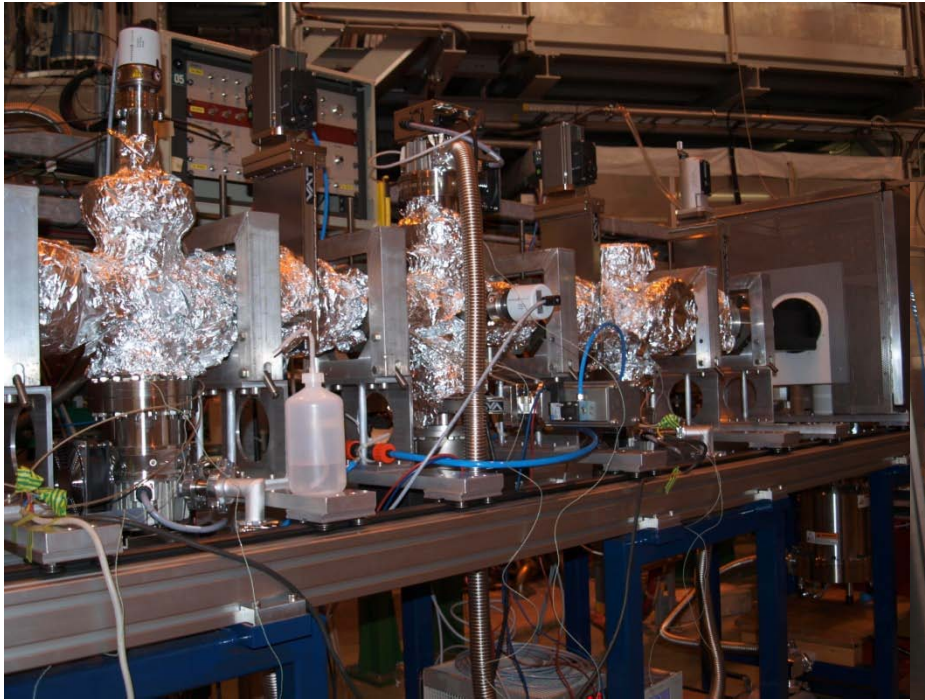
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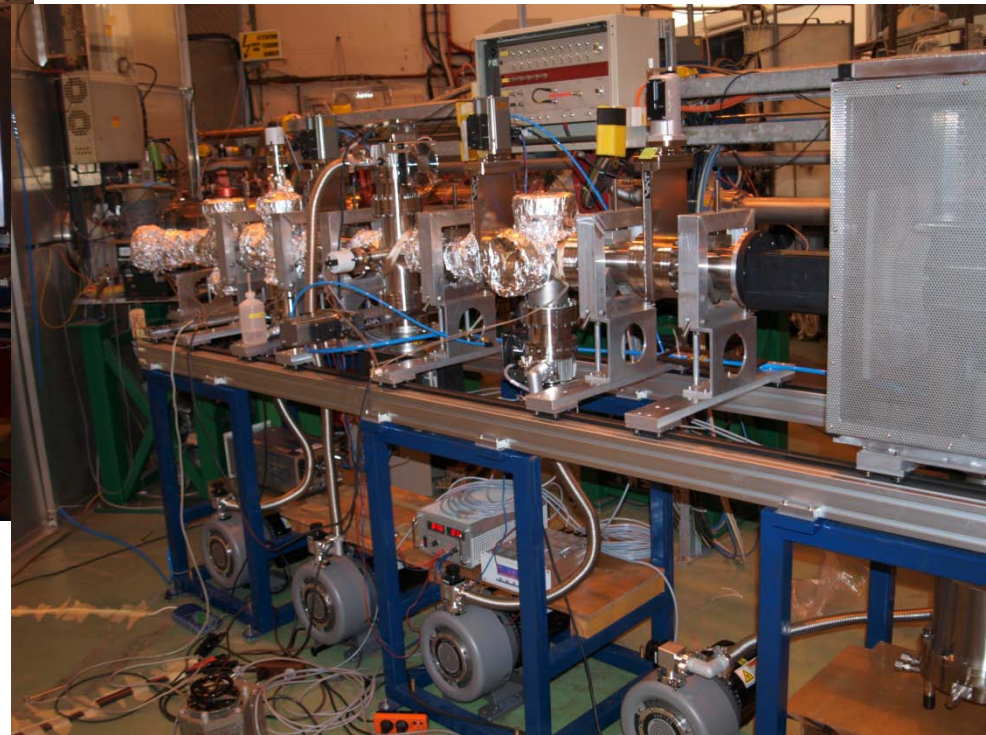
Delivery of vacuum chambers, Faraday cage, charge exchange cell and installation of pumps.



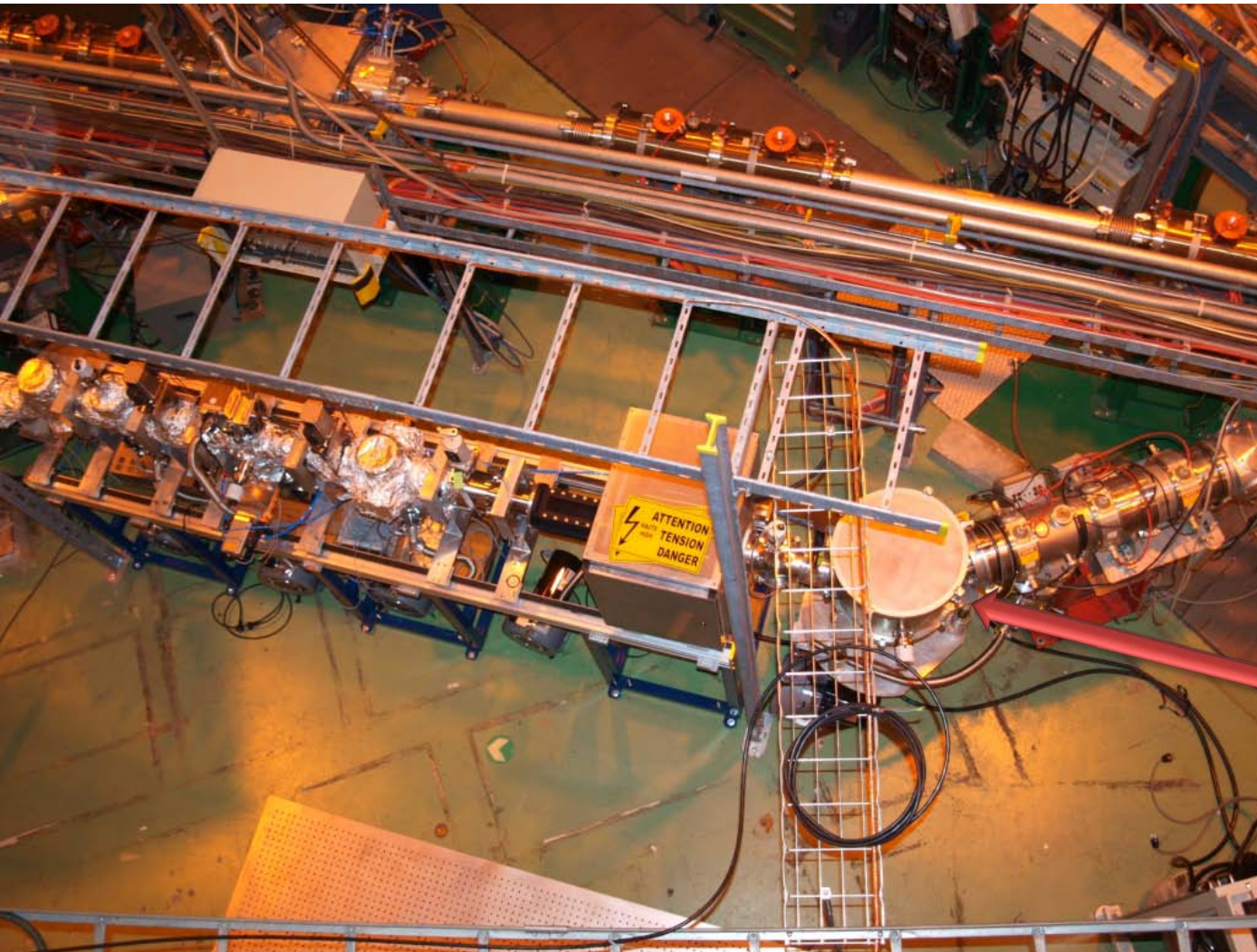
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Vacuum testing, initial bake-out of UHV section reached $<5 \times 10^{-9}$ mbar (limit of the gauge) in the interaction region.



November 2009



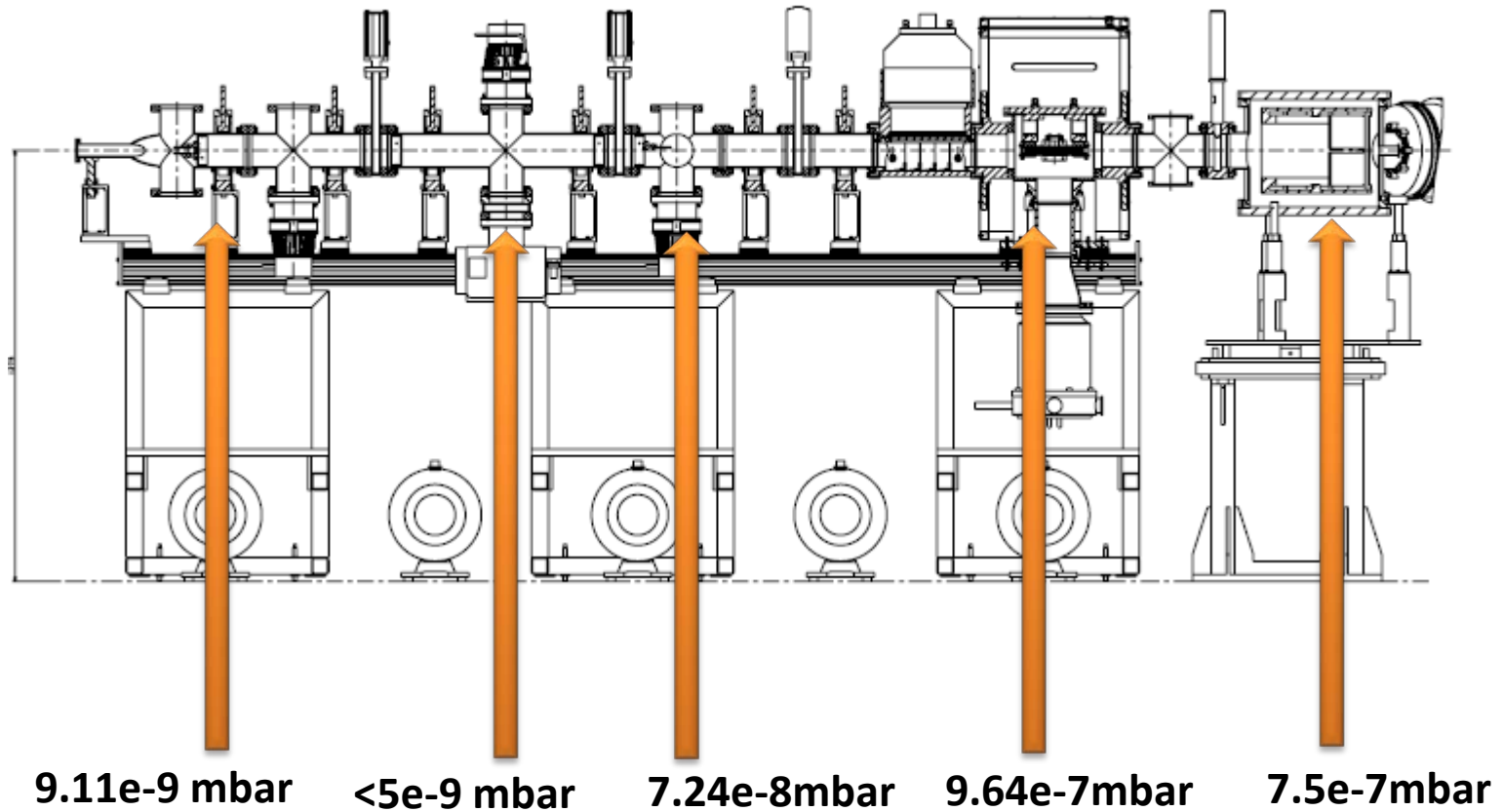
ISOLDE beam from HRS



**Laser launch direction
into the beam line**

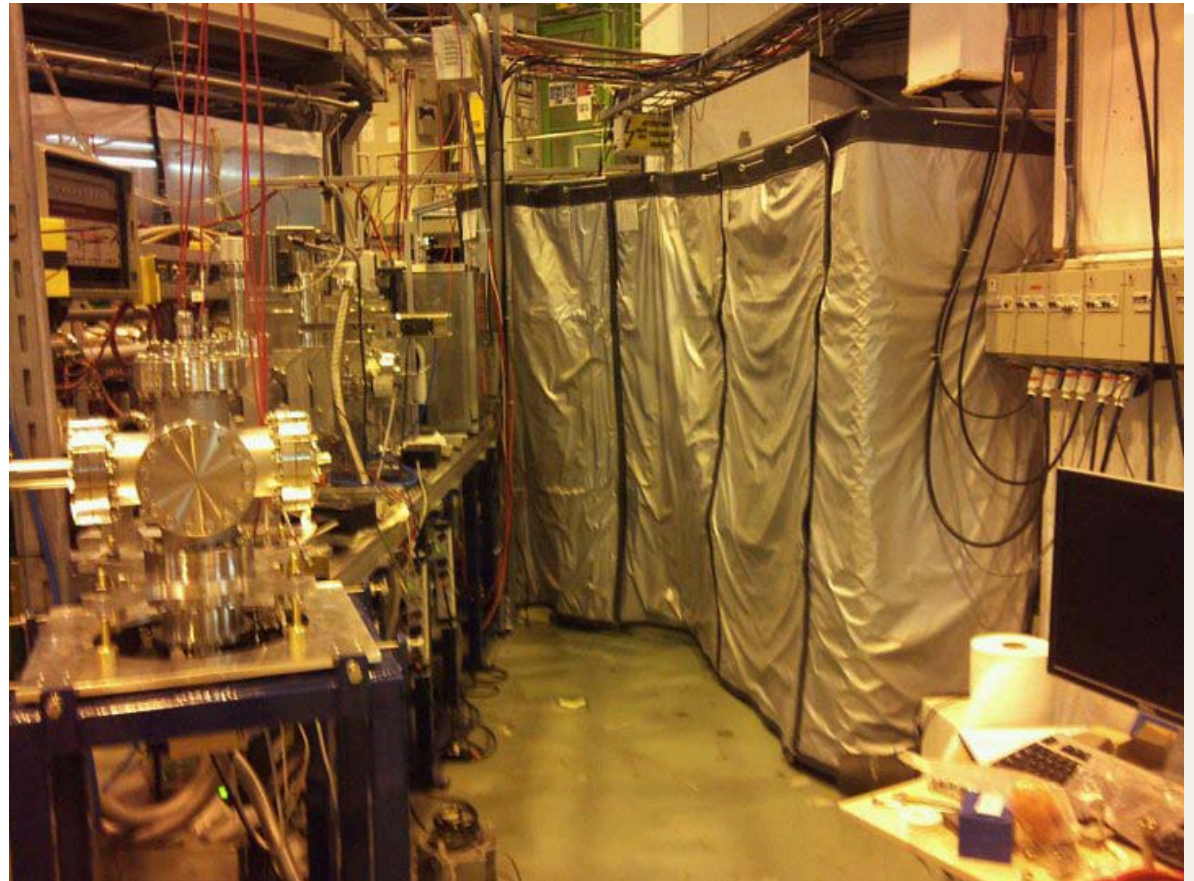


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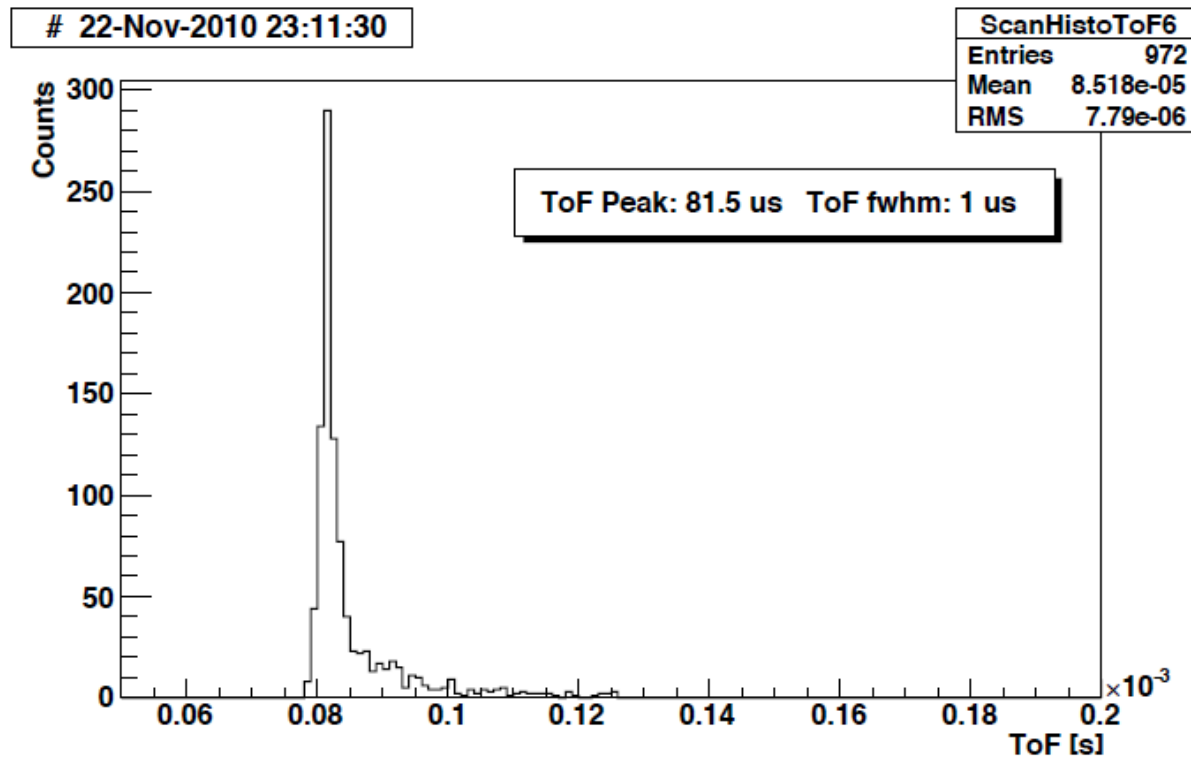
2010

- Installed
 - quadrupole doublet
 - Faraday cups
 - MCP detector
 - Laser optics



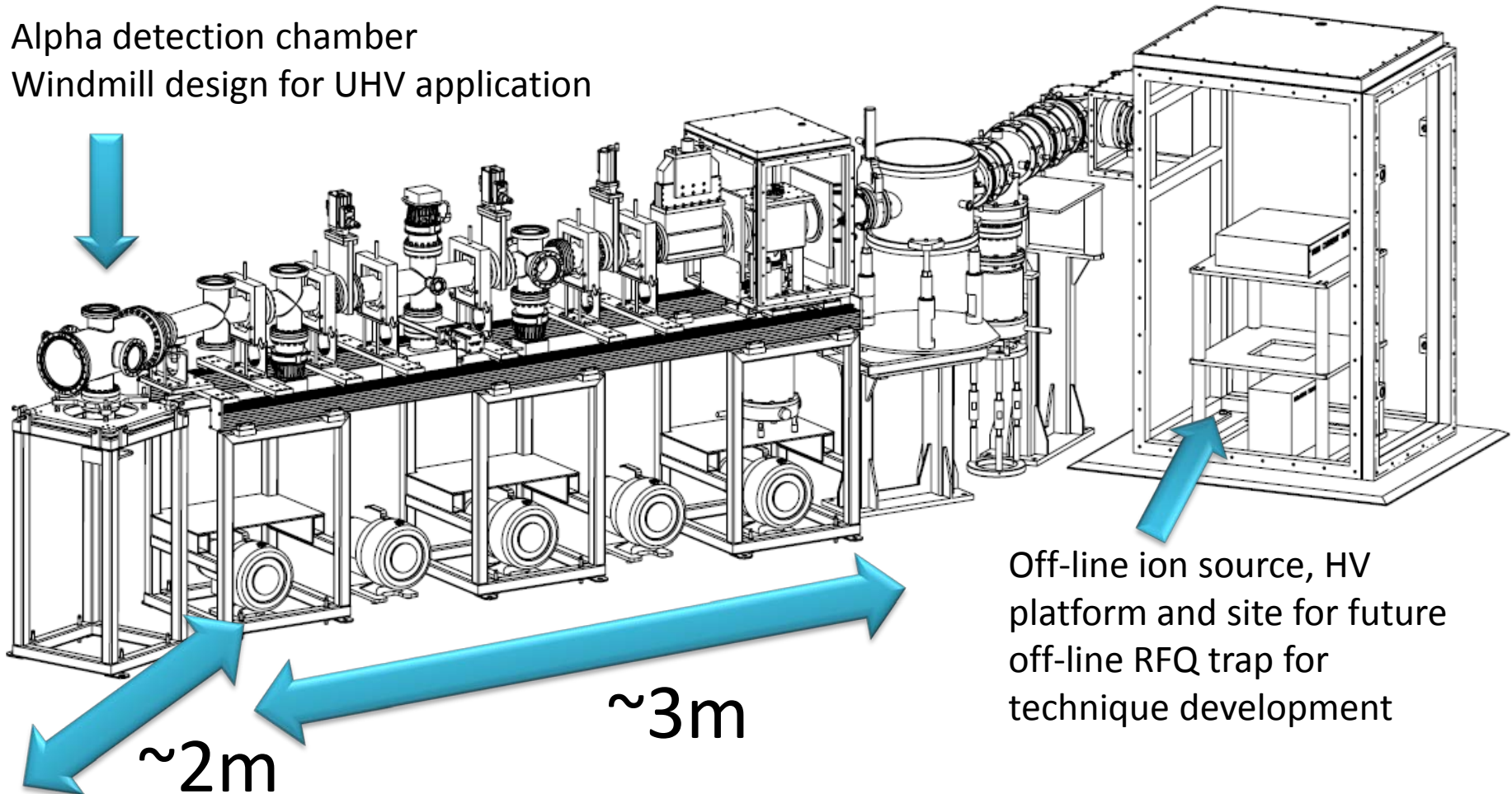
November tests

- Beam tuning (>70% to interaction region)
- Charge exchange (typically 75%)
- UHV ($< 5 \times 10^{-9}$ mbar)
- $1\mu\text{s}$ FWHM



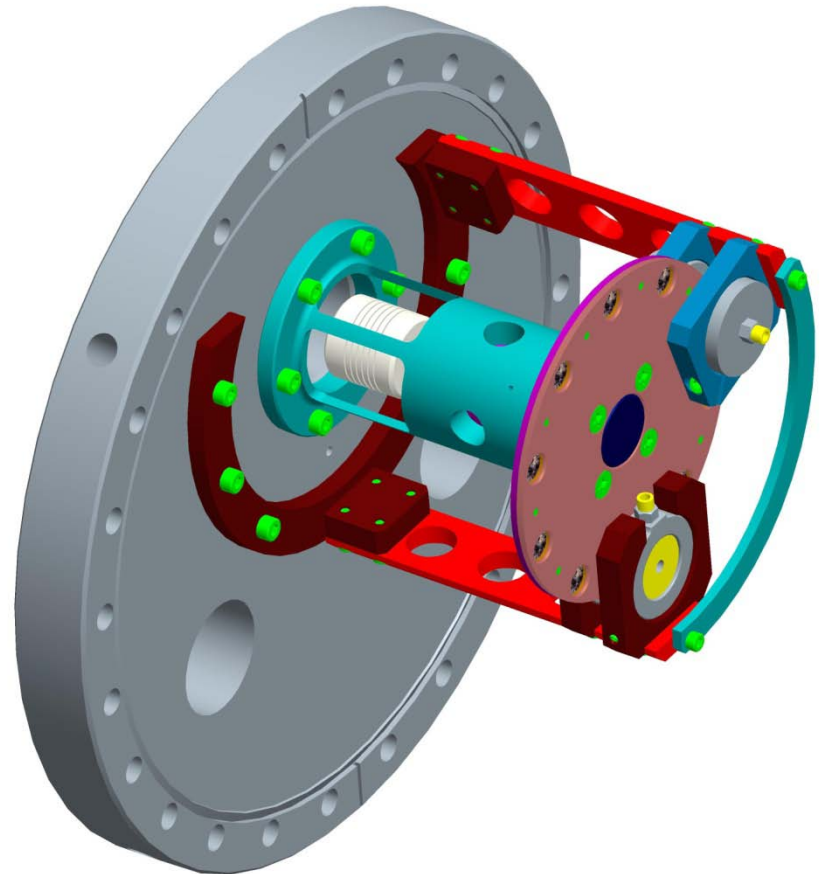
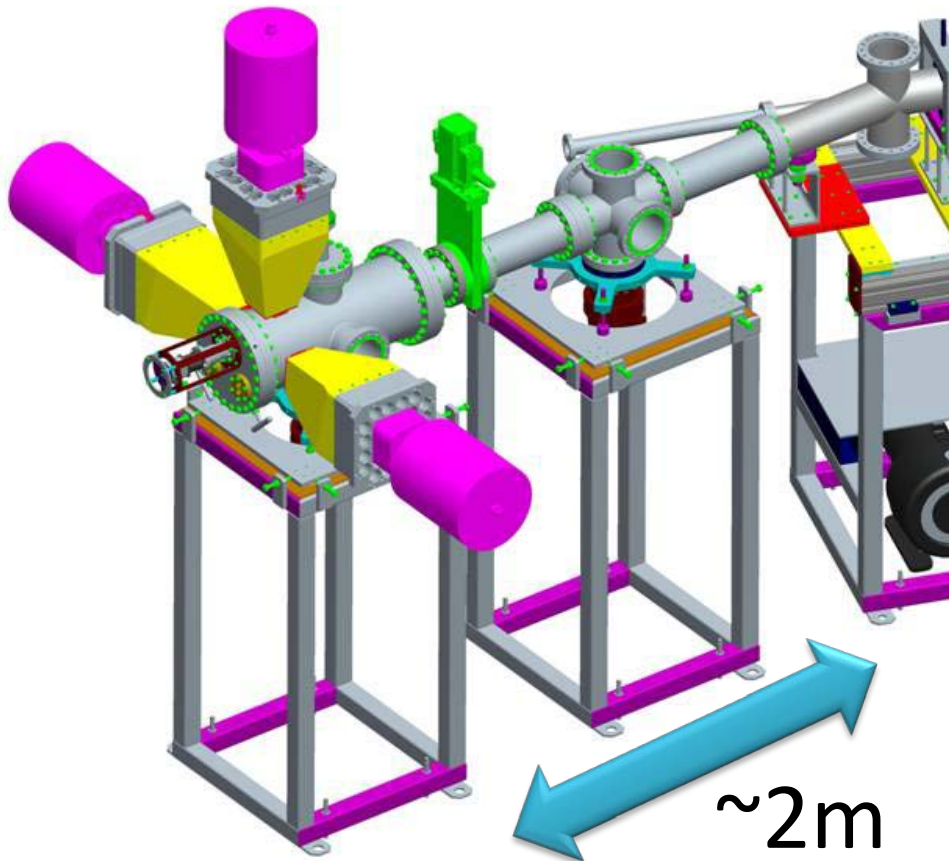
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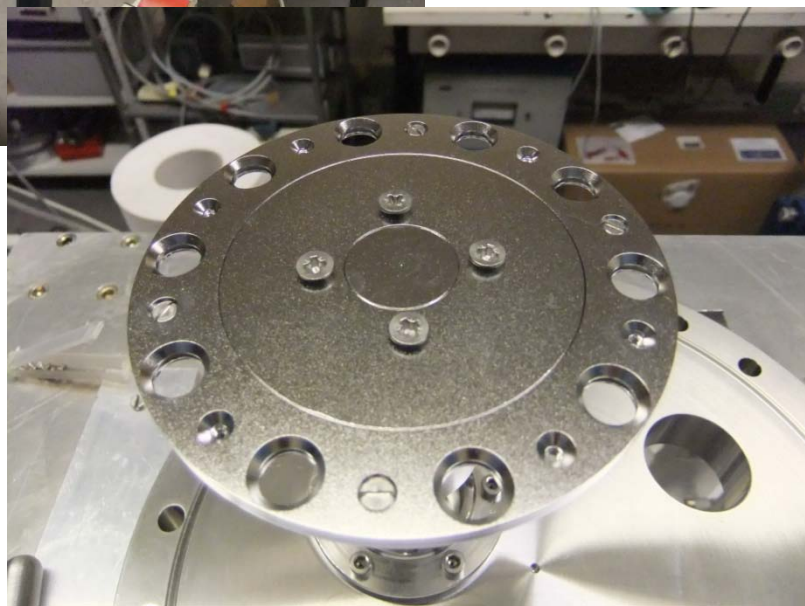
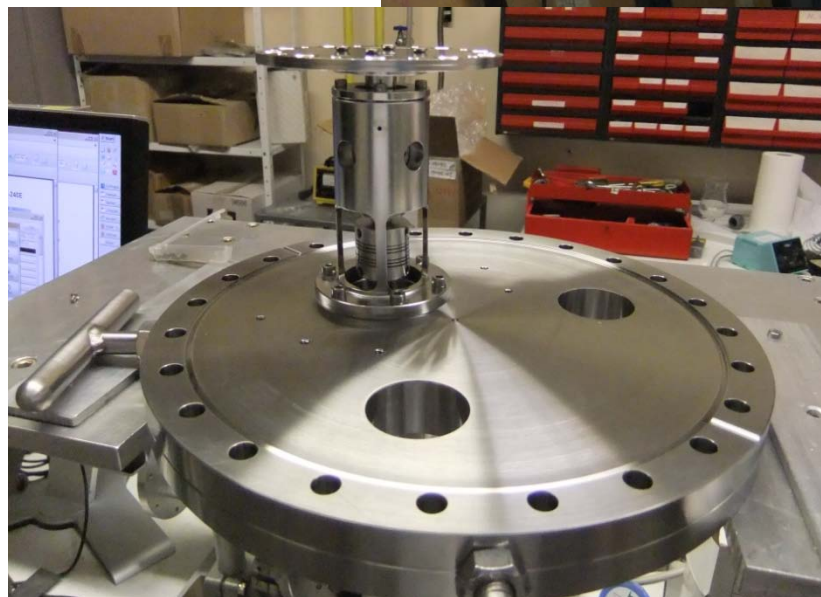
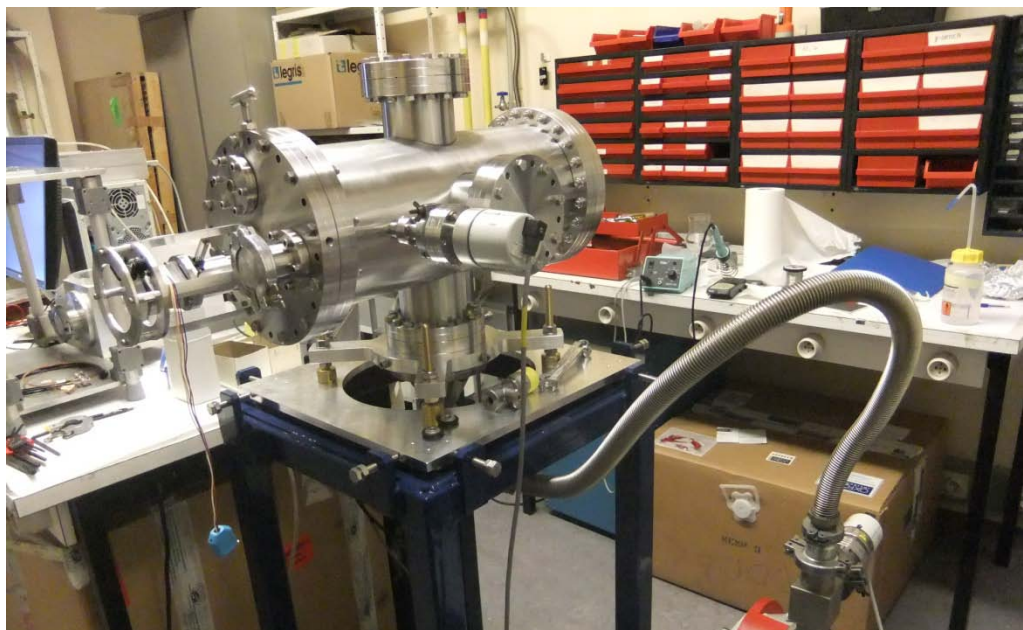
Alpha detection chamber
Windmill design for UHV application



Laser Assisted Decay Spectroscopy:LADS

Possible option: 3 EUROGAM / EUROBALL detectors

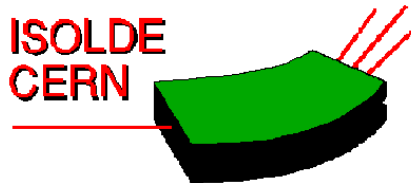




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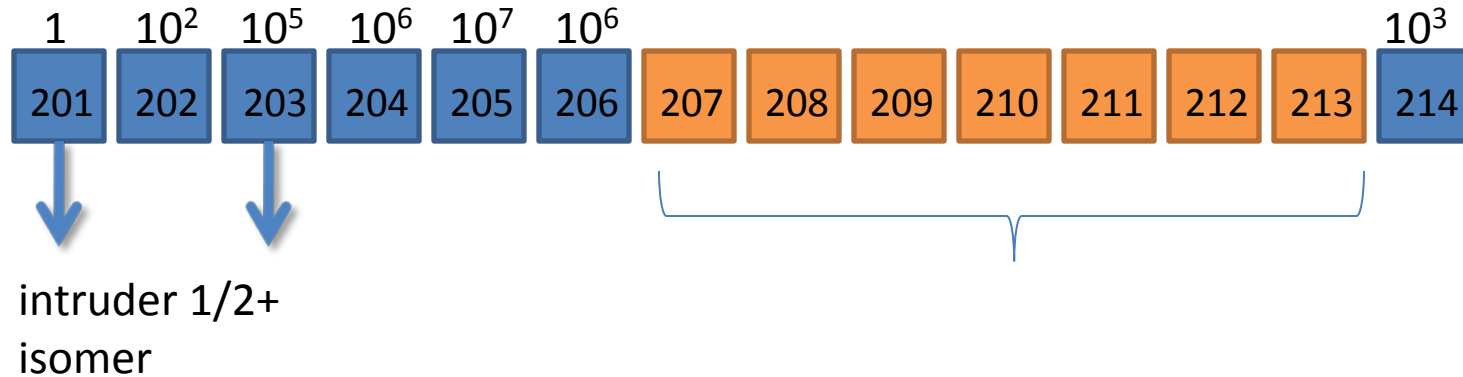
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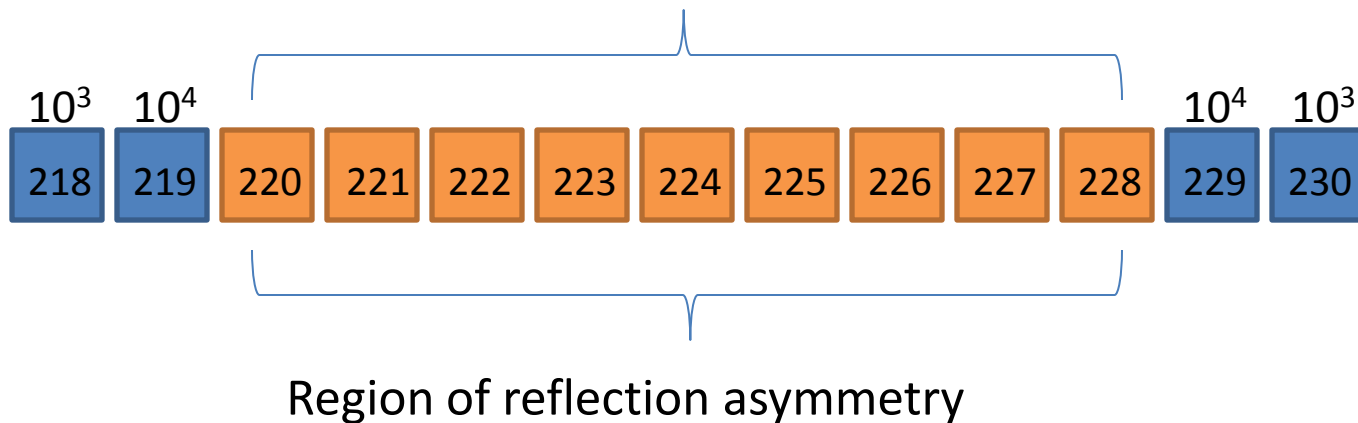
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Previous and proposed isotopes



Previous measurements



2011:Novel Laser System for on-line radioactive beam research.

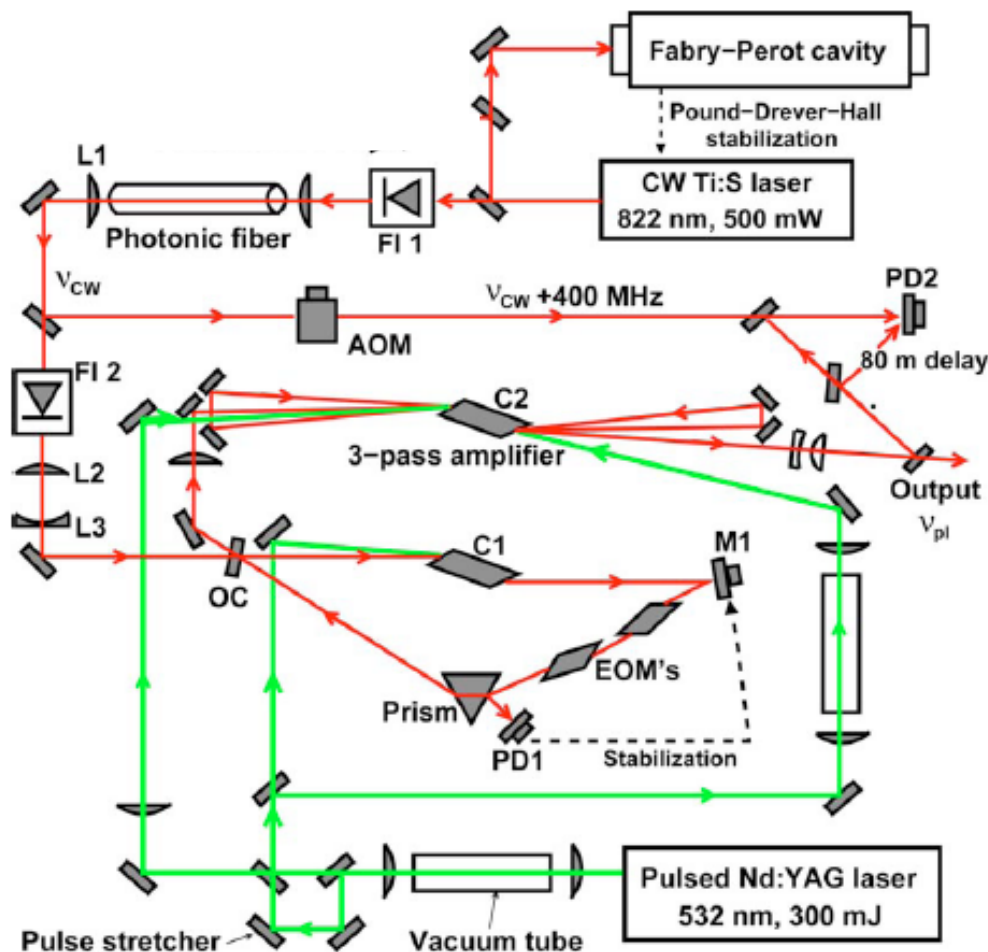
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Tested tuning range 726–941 nm

Line width $\sim 6\text{MHz}$

$E=50\text{--}100\text{ mJ}$



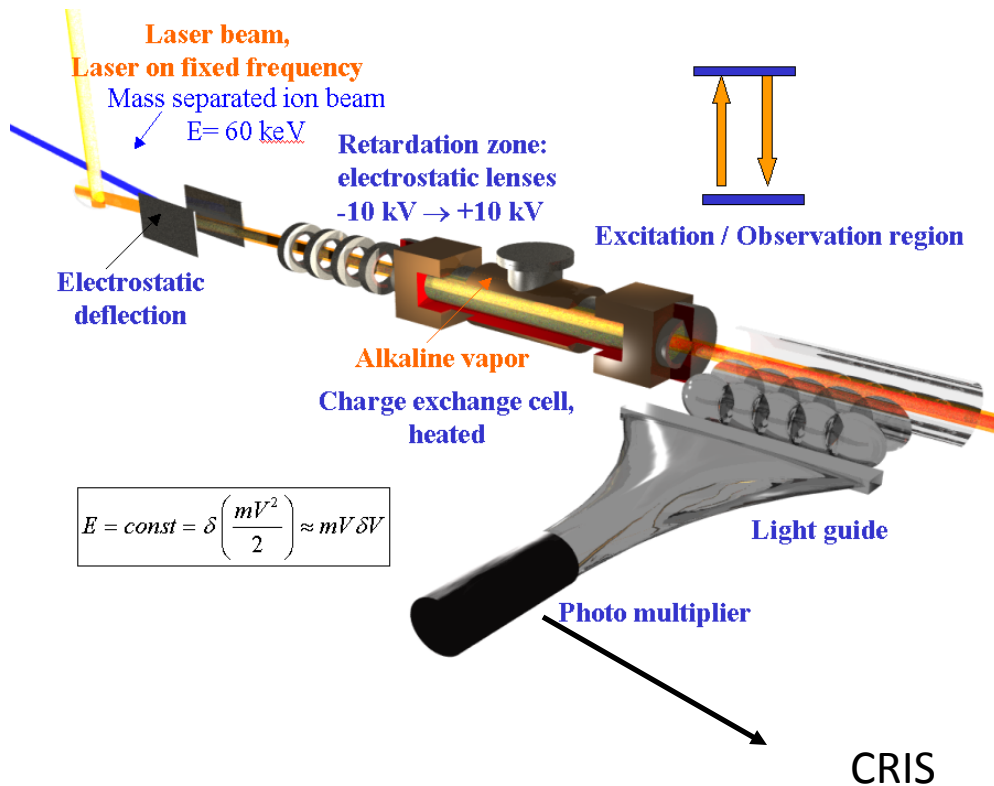
Replacing CW TiSa with a diode laser system (845nm, 300mW)

Turn key table top system with minimal interventions during operation.

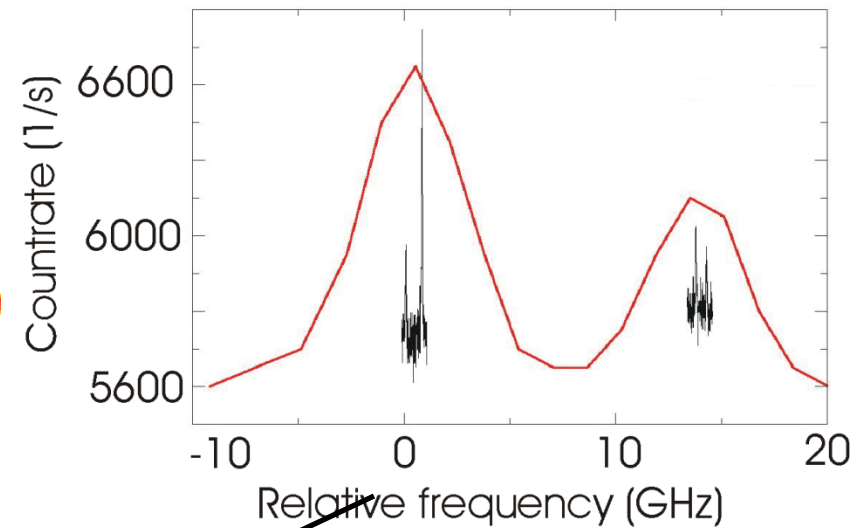
Novel laser system for radioactive ion beam facilities

The basic principle of CRIS technique

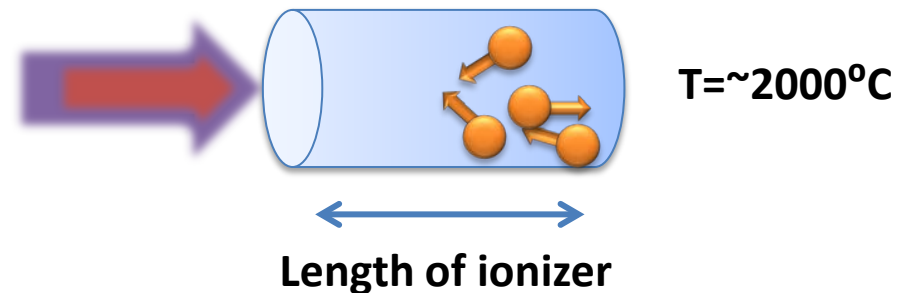
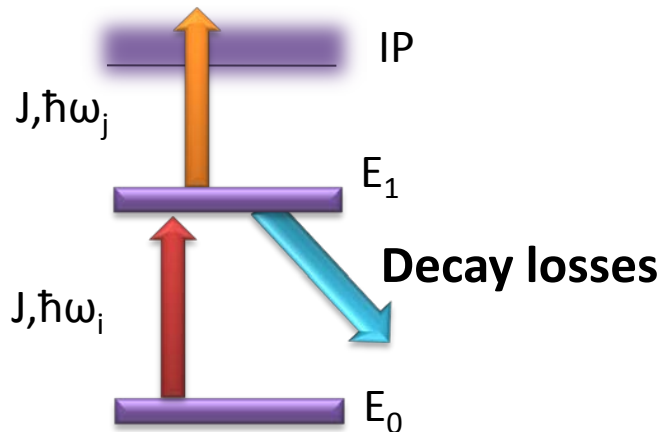
CS – Collinear laser spectroscopy



RIS- Resonant ionization spectroscopy



Considerations for in-source laser spectroscopy



- Need to satisfy the Flux and Fluence conditions in order to saturate transitions and maximise efficiency.

- Short duration pulsed lasers (10-20ns) with ~ 1 -10mJ per pulse.

- CW Laser > 500W (and tight focus) just to saturate the first step!

Evacuation time $\sim 100\mu\text{s}$

Therefore a repetition rate of 10kHz is required for maximum efficiency.



$\sim 100\text{mW}$ at 10kHz for resonant steps

~ 1 -5W at 10kHz for quasi resonant steps

~ 10 -20W at 10kHz for non-resonant steps

